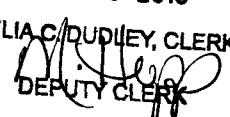


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FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ROANOKE DIVISION

PAUL A. LOVINGS,)	Civil Action No. 7:12-cv-00238
Petitioner,)	
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v.)	<u>ORDER</u>
)	
RANDALL L. MATHENA,)	By: Hon. Jackson L. Kiser
Respondent.)	Senior United States District Judge

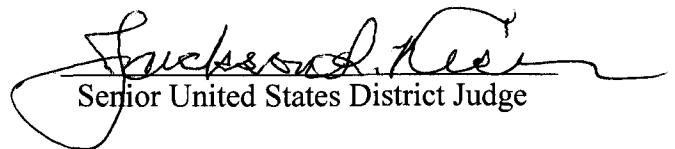
In accordance with the written Memorandum Opinion entered this day, it is hereby

ORDERED

that respondent's motion for a protective order and motion to dismiss are **GRANTED**; the petition for a writ of habeas corpus is **DISMISSED**; a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**; and the case is **STRICKEN** from the active docket of the court.

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order and the accompanying Memorandum Opinion to petitioner and counsel of record for respondent.

ENTER: This 29th day of January, 2013.


Senior United States District Judge